CAL FIRE NEWS RELEASE

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection



Tulare Unit

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DATE: June 22, 2020

GRADE FIRE

Date Started: June 21, 2020 Size: 1100 Acres

Percent Contained: 20%

VISALIA- Sunday evening, June 21, 2020, at approximately 11:57 PM, CAL FIRE Tulare Unit received a report of a wildland fire on Boyd Drive, North of Woodlake California. The fire is in steep, rocky terrain burning grass and oak woodland. The firefighters will continue to focus their efforts on containment lines and mopping up the fires edge. The forward rate of progress has been stopped.

CAL FIRE Tulare Unit Chief Jesse Estrada would like to remind everyone that the vegetation is very susceptible to burn as we all have seen. There have been 3 wildland fires in the past 96 hours in the State Responsibility Area (SRA) in Tulare County. 95% of all vegetation fires are human caused, please be aware of your surroundings.

The cause of the fire is under investigation. CAL FIRE is being assisted by the US Forest Service, Tulare County Fire Department, Ventura County Fire, Santa Barbara County Fire Department and Los Angeles County Fire Department.



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